Town of Somers

Cemetery Committee Meeting Minutes

October 13, 2010

Meeting called to order at approximately 2:04 p.m.

- 1. **Attendance**: The following individuals were in attendance: C.Pyne, T.Brewer, E.Sullivan, G. Warner, and I.Percoski
- Minutes Approval: A motion was made, seconded and unanimously voted to approve the special Meeting Minutes of August 4th as presented. Motion made, seconded and unanimously voted to approve the July 14th minutes as presented.
- 3. Treasurer/Finance Comments: None presented
- 4. Cemetery Treasurer Report: E.Sullivan presented a detailed report concerning the following financial information: Rise and fall of both stocks and bonds and mutual funds. One bond had matured and the proceeds received. Also presented were the receipts on burials and sale of lots and expenses incurred covering maintenance of cemeteries. A motion was made, seconded and unanimously voted to approve the Treasurer Report as presented.

5. Old Business

a. Damage to old Stones

- a. C.Pyne had a meeting with Steve from Ct. Landscaping regarding damage done to old stones. Steve denies any damage from mowers. Damage had to come from mowers carelessly hitting into fragile headstones. Committee will request that Steve appear before the Committee to explain the actions by his workers' recklessness.
- b. b.Stone Repairs by Jonathan Appell DVD of 2009-2010 Repairs
 - J. Appel does not care to meet with Steve regarding damage done to stones by mowers. Committee solution would be to not renew contract with Ct. Valley Landscaping.

6. New Business

- a. A motion was made, seconded and unanimously voted to approve the following 2011 meeting dates for the Cemetery Committee: January 12, April 13, July 13 and October 12. The meetings will begin at 2:00 and held at the Town hall.
- b. A request for permission of 6th graders to work at West Cemetery picking up branches, sticks, trash while under the supervision of adults. Committee has no objections.
- c. Term ending for Cemetery Treasurer 12.22.2010 Recommendation—Committee unanimously voted to recommend reappointment.
- d. Cemetery Clean-up November 08 Public Notice to clean by November 6th: Already in newspapers
- 7. Audience Comments: None
- 8. Other: None
- 9. **Next Meeting**: January 12, 2011 at Town Hall beginning at 2:00 pm
- 10. **Adjournment**: Motion made, seconded and unanimously voted to adjourn the October 13th meeting at approximately 3:05 pm

Respectfully submitted:

Irene Percoski Recording Secretary

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